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-	Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is:
	A Preliminary Amendment.
\boxtimes	An Amendment Responsive to the Office Action Dated October 1, 2002.
	An Amendment Supplemental to the Paper filed .
	Other: .
	Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27.
	Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 as:
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	a Small Business Concern

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	a Nonprofit Org	anization			
		onger entitled to small entity status. U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.	It is requested that this be		
	Loss of Entitlement Enclosed				
	Substitute Pages	of the Specification are enclosed.			
	An Abstract is enclosed	1.			
	Sheets of Propos	sed Corrected Drawings are enclosed	I.		
	A Certified Copy of ea	ch of the following applications:	is enclosed.		
	An Associate Power of Attorney is enclosed.				
	Information Disclosure	Statement.			
	Attached Form	1449.			
	A copy of each reference as listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.				
	Appended Material as	follows: .			
	Other Material as follo	ws: .			

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FEE CALCULATION

No Additional Fee is Due.

				SMALL ENTITY		NOT SMALL ENTITY	
	REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST PAID FOR	EXTRA	RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	31	31 (20 MINIMUM)	0	\$9 EACH	\$	\$18 EACH	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	6	6 (3 MINIMUM)	0	\$42 EACH	\$	\$84 EACH	\$0
	ENTATION OF M	IULTIPLE DEPI	ENDENT	\$140	\$	\$280	\$0
ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME			\$55	\$	\$110	\$110	
TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME			\$200	\$	\$400	\$0	
THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME			\$460	\$	\$920	\$0	
FOUR MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME			\$720	\$	\$1440	\$0	
☐ FIVE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME			\$980	\$	\$1960	\$0	
☐ LESS ANY EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID			minus	(\$)	minus	(\$0)	
☐ TERMINAL DISCLAIMER			\$55	\$	\$110	\$0	
☐ OTHER FEE OR SURCHARGE AS FOLLOWS:							
TOTAL FEE DUE				\$		\$110.00	

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\boxtimes	Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) (fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(4) to
ے	extend the time for response to the Office Action of October 1 2002 to and through
	December 2, 2002 comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of one
	(1) month, since December 1, 2002 fell on a Sunday.

The Commissioner is hereby requested to grant an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, should one be necessary, in connection with this filing or any future filing submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application during the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any fees related to any such extension of time to Deposit Account 23-3050. This sheet is provided in duplicate.

\boxtimes	The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of the following fees and to
_	refund any overpayment associated e 'with this communication or during the
	pendency of this application to Deposit Account 23-3050. This sheet is provided in
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Any additional filing fees required, including fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR § 1.16.

Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 or 1.20(d).

SHOULD ANY DEFICIENCIES APPEAR with respect to this application, including deficiencies in payment of fees, missing parts of the application or otherwise, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to promptly notify the undersigned.

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